



## Certified Return Receipt

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Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission  
Office of Water Management  
Self-reporting Section  
P.O. Box 13087  
Austin, Texas 78711-3087

RE: TNRCC Water Discharge Permit No. WQ000639

Attention: Representative

Please be informed that recent water discharges from the Lubrizol Corporation- Deer Park Plant exceeded the limits of the above-referenced permit as follows:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>OUTFALL</u>	<u>PARAMETER</u>	<u>RESULT</u>	<u>LIMIT</u>
2/25/98	001	BOD <sub>5</sub> , Daily Max.	376 lbs/day	194 lbs/day
2/98	001	BOD <sub>5</sub> , Daily Avg.	177 lbs/day	104 lbs/day
2/10/98	001	Flow, Daily Max.	1.450 Million Gal/day	1.440 Million Gal/day
2/98	001	Flow, Daily Avg.	1.2 Million Gal/day	1.0 Million Gal/day

The BOD<sub>5</sub> exceedences for 2/25 was due to unusually high loading on the effluent plant along with high flow. This combination resulted in exceedences although the effluent BOD<sub>5</sub> was typical. Extensive rain fall for this period also resulted in an average flow exceedence for this month.

Lubrizol regrets any inconvenience these permit exceedences may have caused and the company remains committed to making every reasonable effort to assure compliance with the TNRCC water discharge permit requirements. Should you have any further questions, please contact me at (281) 479-2851.

Sincerely,  
THE LUBRIZOL CORPORATION

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